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**In re Application of** Matthias Brünig

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Sir:

Prior to the calculation of fees and examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.